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OF
Gerrysburg Seminary



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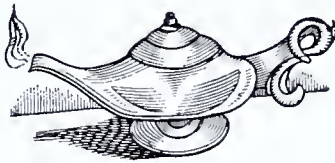
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BEFORE the middle of the last century there were few facilities in the interior of Pennsylvania for obtaining any other education than that supplied by the common schools. All the testimony relating to the character of those schools agrees that the advantages which they offered were very meager. The teachers, with few exceptions, were poorly qualified and were continually changing because of the short school term and small wages. Such teachers as could be secured were mostly from a distance, those who taught in this vicinity coming from New York State and from the lower counties of our own state.

The common school system, adopted in 1834, was not required to be established in every district in the state until by the law of 1849. The office of County Superintendent was created by the act of 1854, and the following year the first Superintendent of Schools for Dauphin County in his report, complains of the "deplorable scarcity of those properly qualified to teach," "young men, presenting themselves for examination who had not opened a book for six months," and "some being entirely unacquainted with geography and grammar."

It was a difficult matter to secure properly prepared home teachers. The normal schools had not come into existence. Millersville, the first normal school, started as an academy in 1854, but was not recognized by the Department of Education as a normal school until 1859. The cost of a college education was too great except for a very few, and they had to be prepared by private tutors to enter college. The academies and seminaries were few and far apart, there being none in all this section of the state. Freeburg Academy dates from

1853, Union Seminary, at New Berlin, from 1854, and the Missionary Institute, now Susquehanna University, at Selinsgrove, from 1857.

Such were the educational conditions in this rich and beautiful Lykens Valley, yet it was left for one not a native of the community to take the first steps to bring about a change. Perhaps, in this connection the memory of one Robert McCune should be preserved, who some time in the Forties opened a select school in an old house in the north-east part of Berrysburg, where he taught along with the common studies a few of the higher branches.

The first school in this part of the state affording facilities for a higher education was the Berrysburg Seminary and Boarding School, as it was originally called. It was founded in the year 1851 by the Rev. Henry S. Bassler, a minister of the Reformed Church, and a man of liberal spirit and progressive ideas. He owned the farm at present in possession of Rev. Jacob Rauk, located just north of the town. Being impressed with the needs of his own children and those of the community in general for a school of more liberal education, he decided to establish one himself. He set apart about one and a half acres of ground, and with scarcely any money, and with no assistance from others except some labor which the citizens contributed, he erected the building which for many years was the home of the Seminary.

The building was about thirty-five by fifty-five feet, three stories in height, and built of brick, which were made nearby. On the first floor was the school-room, and just inside the entrance to the building a small hall, with hat and cloak room to the left, and to the right flights of stairs leading to the second story. A hall extended lengthwise through the middle of the second story with four rooms on each side, for the use of students. There was a similar hall on the third floor, but only three rooms on each side. At the east end of this hall a room extended across the width of the building. This was intended for a recitation room. At one time it was used for purposes not connected with the school. During the Know-Nothing campaign (1856) the members of that party held their meetings in the room with the greatest efforts at secrecy. When the building became the property of the borough in 1871, the upper two stories were thrown into one room, for the public high school; the lower room being then used for the primary school.

Rev. Bassler had also personal charge of the management of the Seminary. He hired the teachers and furnished board in his own family to the students who roomed in the building. Finding it difficult to meet the financial obligations made in erecting the building, he sold the school at the end of about two years (March 24, 1854), to Mr. Aaron P. Lark. It was under Mr. Lark's control until June 10, 1859, when he formed a stock company, which conducted the school until the building was sold to the borough school board.

The stockholders met on June 10, 1859, adopted a constitution and elected the following officers:

President

LOT BERGSTRESSER

Secretary

AARON P. LARK

Treasurer

BENJ. ROMBERGER

Trustees

(One year)

DANIEL ROMBERGER

JOHN HARTMAN

(Two years)

JONATHAN SWAB

PETER BISHOP

(Three years)

JOHN MILLER

J. D. SNYDER

At first the school was quite successful, and continued so for some years, students from a considerable distance being in attendance. Many of the first native teachers of the public schools in this region, as also many of the foremost citizens were once among the early stu-



REV. HENRY S. BASSLER
Founder of the Seminary

dents of the seminary. But the frequent change of principals, and the Civil War, brought many changes to the fortunes of the Seminary. During the last sixteen years of its history it had again a fair measure of prosperity. Of course during the period from 1870 to 1880, only the two summer sessions can be regarded as part of the history of the Seminary, the winter term being simply the sessions of the public school of the borough.

Rev. Henry S. Bassler, the founder of the Seminary, was born in Lower Milford, Lehigh County, Pa. In early life he was apprenticed by his guardian to learn the business of a tanner. During this apprenticeship he became possessed with the desire to enter the ministry, and in spite of the difficulties in the way, he took steps to realize his aspirations. He studied for four years with Rev. J. W. Dechant, whose daughter he afterward married. Imbibing the missionary spirit of his preceptor, he undertook a missionary tour to the south. He traveled on horse-back, going as far as Guilford, N. C., devoting a whole year to this work. On his return he completed a two years' course in the Reformed Theological Seminary, then located at Carlisle, Pa., and was licensed to preach in the year 1829. His first charge was at Beaver Dam, Snyder County. His second charge was that of Hilltown and Boyertown, extending through portions of three counties. At the latter place he established Mount Pleasant Acadmy, where one of his pupils was John F. Hartranft, afterward governor of Pennsylvania.

Rev. Bassler came to the Lykens Valley in the year 1843. The congregations composing his charge were Millersburg, Killinger, Berrysburg, Georgetown, Gratz and Hoffman's. After a pastorate here of nine or ten years he moved to Lehigh County, but in a few years returned to the Lykens Valley. He then received a call from Pleasant Grove, Indiana, and from there he went to Forreston, Illinois. In both those western states he organized a number of congregations that are still flourishing. In 1859 he was called the third time to Berrysburg, where he labored during the period of the Civil War. From here he again went to his native county, Lehigh, preaching for a number of years in the same church (Zionsville), with which he and his mother had united forty some years before. His last regular charge was at Hegins, Pa., where, in his old age, he served seven con-

gregations. In 1877 he retired from active work of the ministry, and moved to Millersburg, Pa., where he died in 1883, aged 78 years. In his long life of ceaseless activity in the ministry, he was the constant friend of education, believing that the spiritual and intellectual development should go together; and he also exemplified the highest of all aims of education to fit one for service to his fellowmen.

The following is almost a complete list of the various principals of the Seminary, and the period in which they had charge:

Jacob S. Whitman, 1851-1853.
 Levi K. Hoch, 1853-1855.
 Jacob Miller, Spring term, 1855.
 Joseph F. Kennedy, August, 1855-November, 1856.
 Peter S. Bergstresser, April, 1857-June, 1857.
 Henry C. Vincent, 1857-1858.
 John B. Beshler, completed term.
 George M. Ettinger, April-October, 1859.
 Peter S. Bergstresser, November, 1859-January, 1862.
 D. F. Swengle, April, 1862-June, 1862.
 George M. Ettinger, 1862-4.
 Peter S. Bergstresser, April 11, 1864-October, 1866.
 Also August, 1867-September, 1874.
 H. J. Hockenberry, September, 1874-September, 1875.
 Alfred Anderson, September, 1875-September, 1876.
 H. J. Hockenberry, September, 1876-September, 1882.

Jacob S. Whitman, the first principal, came from Montgomery County, and had taught a term of private school in Berrysburg, when he took charge of the Seminary. He was a married man and resided in the building. At the same time Miss Luckinbach, of Bethlehem, Pa., taught music and assisted in general. After teaching about two years, Prof. Whitman went to Freeburg, Pa., as the first principal of the academy established in that place. He also taught at New Berlin and later moved to Nebraska.

Nothing could be learned of the second principal, Levi K. Hoch,

except that he is still recalled by some who had been his pupils, as a very excellent teacher.

Jacob Miller was a native of Lebanon County. He also taught here only a short time when he went to Princeton, Illinois, to take charge of the public schools of that place.

His successor, Joseph F. Kennedy, was a native of Hollidaysburg, and a graduate of Dickinson College. His work was very satisfactory, but he was compelled to resign because of ill health. He studied medicine, and in 1858 moved to Iowa, where he is still living. He is Secretary of the State Board of Medical Examiners, with headquarters in Des Moines.

It was at this early date in the history of the school, following the resignation of Prof. Kennedy, that Peter S. Bergstresser, A. M., first became connected with the school as a teacher. He had been for some time a student in the Seminary, and was preparing for college. At the solicitation of friends, he taught one term, leaving in the fall to enter Lafayette College.

A very capable principal was again secured in the person of Henry C. Vincent. He was a college graduate, and possessing considerable executive ability, the school was built up rapidly. For assistants he had John B. Beshler, one of the brightest of the former students in the Seminary, and E. J. Stirl, a German, who taught music. From a catalogue published in 1858, the first issued by the school, and so far as is known, the only one until some twenty years later, some interesting facts have been obtained. There was a classical and an English department, with 20 students credited to the former and 56 to the latter. The whole number of students at the Seminary since its organization is given at 961. The academic year was divided into two sessions of five months each, and the sessions into two quarters of eleven weeks each. Boarding, with furnished rooms, was \$25 per quarter, light and fuel extra. A Polytechnic Society had been organized for mutual improvement in Composition, Elocution and Discussion. The library must have been started before this time, as charges were made for its use.

The list of text-books given covers almost a full college course. The names of most of these are unfamiliar today. In Spelling and Defining, Webster's text-book was used; Reading, Sanders, and Par-



PROF. PETER S. BERGSTRESSER

ker; Arithmetic, Greenleaf; United States History, Wilson; English Grammar, Smith and Kirkham; Familiar Science, Peterson; Natural Philosophy, Olmsted and Comstock. In the higher mathematics, Loomis' Trigonometry, Surveying and Engineering were used; in the Classics, Bullion's Latin and Greek Grammars, and Authon's texts for Virgil, Cicero, the Anabasis and Herodotus are named.

The prospects were bright for a successful period in the history of the Seminary, when unfortunately Prof. Vincent took sick with typhoid fever, returned to Milton and died. He was buried at McEwensville. The term was completed by John Beshler and Geo. M. Ettinger.

Peter A. Bergstresser was persuaded to leave college and take charge of the school. He began to teach Nov. 2, 1859, with only seven pupils present. We have the names of six of these. They are Jacob Moyer, Jonathan Bleistein, of Duncannon, Jeremiah Enterline, John Rupp, Jeremiah Swab and Cornelius Swab. On July 30, 1860, the trustees elected Prof. Bergstresser principal for one year at a salary of \$375. They also fitted up a music room and bought a piano. At the same time Miss Sophia Wilcox, of New York State, was elected teacher of music, and to assist in general, and Preston Miller to teach practical surveying. Prof. Bergstresser continued to teach until Jan. 27, 1862, when he resigned and went to college, and from there was drafted into the army, serving nine months in the war. D. F. Swengle, who succeeded him, was a native of New Berlin, Pa., and a graduate of Dickinson Seminary. He taught several terms, but left shortly afterward to join the army, Mr. Clay Bergstresser completing the term.

The next principal, George M. Ettinger, of York, though no college graduate, was a good teacher. He had several able assistants. One, William H. Griffith, also of York, was a graduate of Dickinson College. For several years the school prospered, when there was again a complete change of teachers. In the fall of 1866, there being no regularly elected principal, Prof. Bergstresser again taught a term before returning to college. He entered the senior class in October of this year. During the winter of 1866-7, as for several other terms, the building was rented for public schools.



PROF. H. J. HOCKENBERRY

The following August (1867), Prof. Bergstresser, who had graduated at Lafayette College, was again elected principal of the Seminary and continued in that position until September, 1874, when he left Berrysburg to take charge of the Lykens schools. He was assisted at various times by different teachers. In 1868 the assistant teachers were H. L. Lark and Miss Emily M. Bergstresser. In 1873 Miss Agatha Steck taught music. John Klinger and Maggie Bordner were other assistants.

Prof. Bergstresser was in charge of the Seminary the longest of all the teachers. During that time hundreds of young men and women were under his instructions, and their success in business, in teaching and in the learned profession is the best tribute to his influence and ability as a teacher.

In the summer of 1874, Prof. H. J. Hockenberry, of Martinsburg, W. Va., was elected principal of the high school. He had graduated the year before at the head of his class from the Millersville State Normal School. Together with a wide culture, the newer normal methods of teaching, and an intense enthusiasm, he possessed the rare power of the teacher to inspire his pupils with that same enthusiasm. As a result he at once became very popular. At the end of one year he left Berrysburg to take charge of an academy at Smyrna, Delaware, and Alfred Anderson succeeded him here. Not finding conditions at the latter place as he had reasons to expect, Prof. Hockenberry returned the following year, and for four years continued to teach the high school during the winter months and two sessions of the Seminary during the summer. These sessions were well attended, many of the students being teachers of this and adjoining counties.

Thus far in the history of the school there had been no fixed course of studies with graduating exercises to mark its completion. It was customary to hold an entertainment at the close of the school terms, the money realized from a small admission fee being devoted to the purchase of books for the library. In the fall of 1879 the first commencement was held and a class of eleven students having completed a definite course, received diplomas. The following year no class was graduated, but in 1881 there was a class of six and in 1882 a class of eight.

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Katie D. Miller
 Clellan A. Bowman
 Henry G. Dornheim
 J. Henry Eisenhower
 Anson S. Johns
 Monroe D. Lehr
 Daniel G. Lubold
 Milton A. Miller
 Charles M. Rickert
 Daniel H. Romberger
 Joseph M. Walborn

Class of 1881

William H. Parfet (Deceased)
 P. W. G. Raker
 Andrew B. Saylor
 Frank P. Stine
 William E. Yeager
 Eugene B. Zerfing

Class of 1882

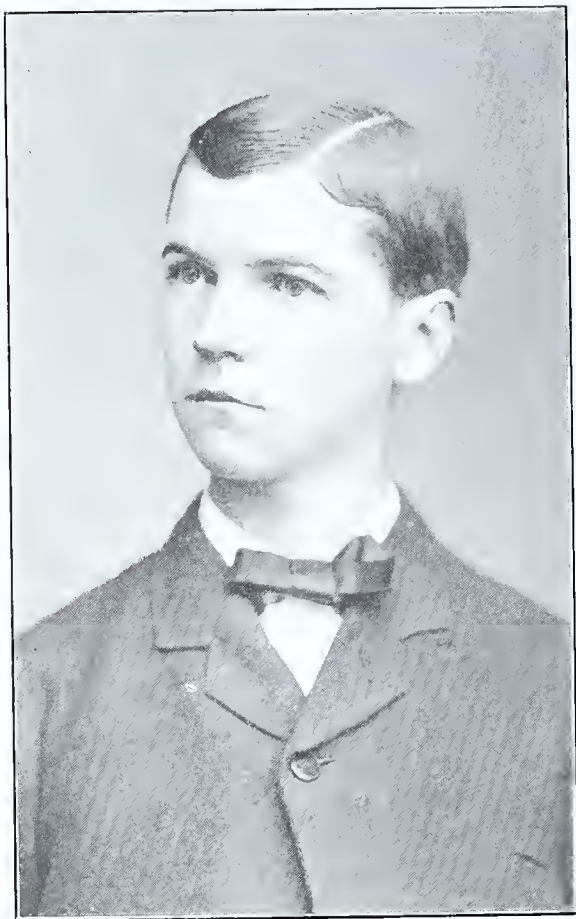
Annie L. Lenker
 Sue S. Hoffman
 Minnie A. Snyder
 Milton E. Buffington
 Samuel W. Cooper
 J. Harvey Miller
 Stephen A. Sours
 Clement B. Stroup

Several years after coming to Berryburg, Prof. Hockenberry became involved in an unfortunate church controversy. An opposition was developed that entirely controlled the school board in 1879, and elected another principal for the high school. The friends of Prof. Hockenberry, not wishing to have him leave the place, rented the Odd Fellows Hall, now the United Brethren Church, and he continued to teach there for three years. To his pupils and friends, where Prof. Hockenberry taught, there was the Seminary. The teachers of the public schools also conducted spring and fall terms under the name of the Berryburg Seminary. The people for many miles around took sides in the contest, and during those three years the town was crowded with students.

In the meantime Prof. Hockenberry and friends were perfecting plans to place the Seminary on a permanent basis by incorporating it and erecting new buildings. On Feb. 21, 1881, a perpetual charter was granted to the Seminary by the Dauphin County Court. This charter provided for thirteen directors, three of whom were to act as President, Secretary and Treasurer respectively. The directors were:

J. S. Snyder, Pres.,	Daniel Buffington, Gratz
M. W. Sponsler, Sec.	Benjamin Rickert, Loyalton
Josiah Yeager, Treas.,	James Miller, Elizabethville
Valentine Lenker	Samuel Horning, Carsonville
Martin P. Weaver	G. W. D. Enders, Fisherville
Hiram Matter	
Benjamin Bordner	
Benjamin Romberger	
all of Berrysburg.	

In the summer of 1882 Prof. Hockenberry, becoming discouraged with the conditions existing here, accepted the principalship of the Carbondale schools. The fall term, which he had begun, was completed by Prof. H. D. Gise and Miss Katie D. Miller. Prof. Hockenberry returned for commencement and delivered the diplomas to the graduating class. This has been regarded as the end of the Berrysburg Seminary. The old brick building was used for school purposes until the year 1891, when it was torn down and the bricks used in the new public school building erected opposite the Lutheran and Reformed Church.



W. W. PARFET

Died at Brandywine Summit, Delaware Co., Pa.

September 10, 1887.

Buried in Cemetery at Concord, Pa.

APPENDIX

EARLIEST ROLL OF STUDENTS AT THE BERRYSBURG SEMINARY

*Taken from a Catalogue Printed 1858; Students Attended
Therefore Very Probably in 1857.*

CLASSICAL DEPARTMENT

<i>Names</i>	<i>Residence</i>	<i>Names</i>	<i>Residence</i>
Simon Bickel,	Elizabethville, Pa.	H. Stroup,	Lykenstown, Pa.
H. W. Bishoff,		C. Dillman, . . .	Philadelphia, Pa.
	Spring Garden, Pa.	F. Shadd,	Germansville, Pa.
F. S. Bowman,	Oakdale, Pa.	P. Shadd,	Card Mill, Pa.
B. F. Crouse, . . .	Selinsgrove, Pa.	H. Robison,	Oakdale, Pa.
J. W. Norris, . .	Jacksonville, Pa.		
J. W. Enders, . .	Jacksonville, Pa.		Ladies
U. Shuman,	Liverpool, Pa.	S. F. Shindel, . . .	Minersville, Pa.
N. Moyer,	Berrysburg, Pa.	R. C. Lemon,	Dewart, Pa.
J. W. Moyer, . .	Berrysburg, Pa.	M. Nicely,	Dewart, Pa.
C. Hower,	Berrysburg, Pa.	A. Miller,	Berrysburg, Pa.
T. W. Hoffman, . .	Berrysburg, Pa.	S. J. Bergstresser,	
H. L. Sterner, . .	Berrysburg, Pa.		Berrysburg, Pa.
J. F. Bassler, . . .	Berrysburg, Pa.	A. Bergstresser,	Berrysburg, Pa.
J. P. Hefflefinger,		M. Harner,	Berrysburg, Pa.
	Berrysburg, Pa.	S. Swab,	Berrysburg, Pa.
J. Enterline,	Berrysburg, Pa.	M. Lark,	Berrysburg, Pa.
P. J. Kirlin,	Selinsgrove, Pa.	A. Lark,	Berrysburg, Pa.
B. F. Miller, . .	Lykenstown, Pa.	S. Snyder,	Berrysburg, Pa.
P. Grove,	Uniontown, Pa.	C. Snyder,	Berrysburg, Pa.
J. Patterson, . . .	Mt. Vernon, O.	A. Snyder,	Berrysburg, Pa.
P. Hawk,	Berrysburg, Pa.	E. Snyder,	Berrysburg, Pa.
H. Messuer,		M. McCurtain, .	Berrysburg, Pa.
	Washington Twp., Pa.	S. Mace,	Berrysburg, Pa.
H. L. Lark,	Freeburg, Pa.		

ENGLISH DEPARTMENT

<i>Names</i>	<i>Residence</i>	<i>Names</i>	<i>Residence</i>
C. Swab,	Berryburg, Pa.	J. Bordner,	Berryburg, Pa.
C. Hoy,	Berryburg, Pa.	C. Hiney,	Berryburg, Pa.
E. H. Sell,	Berryburg, Pa.	G. P. Buffington,	Berryburg, Pa.
E. Boddiger,	Berryburg, Pa.	J. H. Bressler,	Berryburg, Pa.
Z. Boddiger,	Berryburg, Pa.	H. W. Hoke,	Dauphin Co., Pa.
F. Hower,	Berryburg, Pa.	Z. Hoke,	Dauphin Co., Pa.
J. Matter,	Berryburg, Pa.	C. E. Hoffman,	Berryburg, Pa.
W. Swab,	Berryburg, Pa.	E. Hoffman,	Dauphin Co., Pa.
J. Swab,	Berryburg, Pa.	M. Canvel,	Dauphin Co., Pa.
C. Snyder,	Berryburg, Pa.	C. Lehman,	Berryburg, Pa.
M. Lehman,	Berryburg, Pa.	E. Botz,	Berryburg, Pa.
J. Hoffman,	Berryburg, Pa.	L. Boddiger,	Berryburg, Pa.
E. Hoffman,	Berryburg, Pa.	M. Rupp,	Berryburg, Pa.
J. Weaver,	Berryburg, Pa.	M. Rupp,	Berryburg, Pa.
W. C. Rampel,	Berryburg, Pa.	E. Nace,	Fisherville, Pa.
J. Rampel,	Berryburg, Pa.		

Summary

Classical Department	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	20
English Department	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	56
Total	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	76

Whole number since organization, 961.

STUDENTS ATTENDING BERRYSBURG SEMINARY
IN THE YEAR 1860

JANUARY TERM

Jere Enterline	Daniel Romberger
Jeremiah Swab	Andrew Robinson
John Rupp	Henderson Shipman
Jonathan Bleistein	Preston Miller (3 weeks)
Joseph Bergstresser	Sallie F. Shindle
Cornelius Swab	Alice Miller
Hiram Yeager	S. June Bergstresser
Jacob Moyer	

APRIL TERM

Joseph Bergstresser	John Woodside
Jonathan Bleistein	John Weaver
Frederick Wagner	Alice Miller
Wellington Swab	Mary A. Swab
John Rupp	Sarah L. Swab
Hiram Yeager	Mary L. Woodside
Joseph Romberger	Emeline Bergstresser
Charles H. Howerter	Phoebe E. Bergstresser
John Kebach	Sallie F. Shindel
Jacob Witmer	Mary M. Romberger
H. J. Hartman	Elmira M. Romberger
Wm. Betz	Clara Snyder
Calvin Bassler	

FALL TERM

Preston Miller	John Weaver
J. H. Hartman	Andrew Riegle
Charles H. Howerter	Jeremiah Enterline
Jonathan Bleistein	Henry Wise
Joseph Bergstresser	Isaac Hoffman
Cornelius Swab	John Woodside
Jos. F. Romberger	Sarah Swab
Wm. Bretz	Mary L. Woodside
Wellington Swab	Emeline Bergstresser
Charles P. Hower	Phoebe Bergstresser
Calvin Bassler	Clara Snyder
Daniel Artz	Mary L. Shoop
Emanuel Shoop	Martha J. Robinson
Charles Swab	Elmira M. Romberger
John A. Loudenslager	Catharine S. Hoffman
Charles B. Snyder	Mollie Lark
John Rupp	Mary Swab
Jacob Witmer	

FACULTY—1881

H. J. Hockenberry, M. E., Prin. and Teacher of Mathematics, Natural Science and Grammar.

Rev. John McQuid, A. M., Teacher of Latin, Greek and Biology.

Emma E. Gregg, A. M., Teacher of French, Instrumental Music and Voice Culture.

Katie D. Miller, Teacher of Elocution, Drawing and Geography.

D. H. Romberger, Teacher of Penmanship, Geography and History.

C. A. Bowman, Teacher of Vocal Music and Reading.

STUDENTS—*Ladies*

Beshler, Annie C., Berrysburg, Dauphin Co., Pa.
 Bergstresser, Alice E., Berrysburg, Dauphin Co., Pa.
 Bordner, Katie A., Berrysburg, Dauphin Co., Pa.
 Deibler, Alice M., Berrysburg, Dauphin Co., Pa.
 Dressler, Louisa, Berrysburg, Dauphin Co., Pa.
 Enders, Della M., Jacksonville, Dauphin Co., Pa.
 Enterline, Katie A., Berrysburg, Dauphin Co., Pa.
 Enterline, E. Virgie, Berrysburg, Dauphin Co., Pa.
 Enterline, Sallie L., Berrysburg, Dauphin Co., Pa.
 Enterline, Clara E., Dauphin Co., Pa.
 Enterline, Effie L., Berrysburg, Dauphin Co., Pa.
 Ferree, Josie E., Loyalton, Dauphin Co., Pa.
 Hess, Dora B., Loyalton, Dauphin Co., Pa.
 Heistand, Lillie J., Lykens, Dauphin Co., Pa.
 Hoffman, Sarah R., Loyalton, Dauphin Co., Pa.
 Hoffman, Sue S., Port Trevorton, Snyder Co., Pa.
 Hoover, Ida L., Berrysburg, Dauphin Co., Pa.
 Hoy, Sallie E., Berrysburg, Dauphin Co., Pa.
 Hoy, Mary A., Berrysburg, Dauphin Co., Pa.
 Kauffman, Tamar, Dalmatia, Northumberland Co., Pa.
 Lenker, Annie L., Berrysburg, Dauphin Co., Pa.
 Lenker, Maggie V., Berrysburg, Dauphin Co., Pa.
 Light, Lydia A., Berrysburg, Dauphin Co., Pa.

Matter, Amelia I., Elizabethville, Dauphin Co., Pa.
Matter, Lillie A., Berrysburg, Dauphin Co., Pa.
Miller, A. Laura, Berrysburg, Dauphin Co., Pa.
Murray, May E., Berrysburg, Dauphin Co., Pa.
Musser, Laura V., Millersburg, Dauphin Co., Pa.
Rempel, Mary E., Berrysburg, Dauphin Co., Pa.
Romberger, Gracie, Berrysburg, Dauphin Co., Pa.
Romberger, Annie G., Berrysburg, Dauphin Co., Pa.
Romberger, Rebecca, Berrysburg, Dauphin Co., Pa.
Romberger, Lillie, Berrysburg, Dauphin Co., Pa.
Romberger, Clara, Berrysburg, Dauphin Co., Pa.
Schoffstall, Mollie, Berrysburg, Dauphin Co., Pa.
Snyder, Minnie A., Berrysburg, Dauphin Co., Pa.
Sponsler, Ida M., Berrysburg, Dauphin Co., Pa.
Sponsler, Annie G., Berrysburg, Dauphin Co., Pa.
Snyder, Lena, Berrysburg, Dauphin Co., Pa.
Snyder, Fannie, Berrysburg, Dauphin Co., Pa.
Snyder, Ella R., Berrysburg, Dauphin Co., Pa.
Snyder, Emma C., Gratz, Dauphin Co., Pa.
Weaver, Hannah A., Berrysburg, Dauphin Co., Pa.
Yeager, Mary E., Berrysburg, Dauphin Co., Pa.
Zimmerman, Lucinda, Enders, Dauphin Co., Pa.

Gentlemen

Baskin, Robert, Matamoras, Dauphin Co., Pa.
Bartho, Benjamin F., Jacksonville, Dauphin Co., Pa.
Bordner, William C., Berrysburg, Dauphin Co., Pa.
Bordner, Charles M., Berrysburg, Dauphin Co., Pa.
Bordner, Robert T., Berrysburg, Dauphin Co., Pa.
Boyer, D. A., Loyalton, Dauphin Co., Pa.
Boyer, Clinton, Loyalton, Dauphin Co., Pa.
Bowman, C. A., Millersburg, Dauphin Co., Pa.
Bueck, Charles A., Lykens, Dauphin Co., Pa.
Buffington, H. F., Gratz, Dauphin Co., Pa.
Buffington, M. E., Gratz, Dauphin Co., Pa.
Collier, Ammon B., Elizabethville, Dauphin Co., Pa.
Cooper, Samuel W., Curtin, Dauphin Co., Pa.

Daniel, Monroe, Gratz, Dauphin Co., Pa.
Deibler, A. E., Berriesburg, Dauphin Co., Pa.
Enterline, Harry C., Berriesburg, Dauphin Co., Pa.
Enterline, Charles W., Berriesburg, Dauphin Co., Pa.
Enders, F. P., Enders, Dauphin Co., Pa.
Eisenhower, J. H., Fisherville, Dauphin Co., Pa.
Ettinger, S. M., Elizabethville, Dauphin Co., Pa.
Fauber, J. C., Enterline, Dauphin Co., Pa.
Gamber, Emanuel, Tower City, Schuylkill Co., Pa.
Geise, David T., Urban, Northumberland Co., Pa.
Gise, George W., Gratz, Dauphin Co., Pa.
Good, S. S., Loyalton, Dauphin Co., Pa.
Gunderman, F. W., Berriesburg, Dauphin Co., Pa.
Hayes, Thomas R., Mahanoy, Northumberland Co., Pa.
Hoffman, Thomas C., Fisherville, Dauphin Co., Pa.
Hoffman, James A., Elizabethville, Dauphin Co., Pa.
Hoover, Wellington, Berriesburg, Dauphin Co., Pa.
Hoover, John R., Berriesburg, Dauphin Co., Pa.
Hoover, Robert M., Berriesburg, Dauphin Co., Pa.
Hoover, Oscar L., Berriesburg, Dauphin Co., Pa.
Kehreo, J. Martin, Rebucks, Northumberland Co., Pa.
Karterman, W. D., Hepler, Schuylkill Co., Pa.
Klinger, John A., Berriesburg, Dauphin Co., Pa.
Lehr, J. Frank, Enders, Dauphin Co., Pa.
Lenker, Charles C., Berriesburg, Dauphin Co., Pa.
Light, Mason C., Berriesburg, Dauphin Co., Pa.
Lubold, S. F., Loyalton, Dauphin Co., Pa.
McCollum, H. B., Harrisburg, Dauphin Co., Pa.
McClure, A. E., Loyalton, Dauphin Co., Pa.
McClure, J. C., Loyalton, Dauphin Co., Pa.
Mace, E. C., Berriesburg, Dauphin Co., Pa.
Matter, William B., Berriesburg, Dauphin Co., Pa.
Miller, J. H., Berriesburg, Dauphin Co., Pa.
Neiman, S. M., Berriesburg, Dauphin Co., Pa.
Raker, P. W. G., Loyalton, Dauphin Co., Pa.
Rempel, Harry, Berriesburg, Dauphin Co., Pa.
Rickert, Charles M., Loyalton, Dauphin Co., Pa.

Rickert, H. M., Valley View, Dauphin Co., Pa.
*Romberger, Harry, Berrysburg, Dauphin Co., Pa.
Romberger, D. H., Berrysburg, Dauphin Co., Pa.
Roop, Edwin J., Uniontown, Dauphin Co., Pa.
Rowe, Joseph E., Loyalton, Dauphin Co., Pa.
Rudisil, J. A., Elizabethville, Pa.
Reed, Lewis H., Powl's Creek, Dauphin Co., Pa.
Ressler, Rufus, Valley View, Dauphin Co., Pa.
Saylor, A. B., Ono, Lebanon Co., Pa.
Schoffstall, Charles, Berrysburg, Dauphin Co., Pa.
Shoop, Aaron S., Carsonville, Dauphin Co., Pa.
Shoop, H. R., Jacksonville, Dauphin Co., Pa.
Snyder, A. L., Berrysburg, Pa., Dauphin Co., Pa.
Snyder, J. H., Berrysburg, Dauphin Co., Pa.
Snyder, Charles A., Valley View, Schuylkill Co., Pa.
Snyder, Walter E., Lykens, Dauphin Co., Pa.
Sowers, S. H., Carsonville, Dauphin Co., Pa.
Sponsler, George C., Berrysburg, Dauphin Co., Pa.
Stine, Frank P., Elizabethville, Dauphin Co., Pa.
Stine, H. C., Shenandoah, Dauphin Co., Pa.
Straw, George W., Matamoras, Dauphin Co., Pa.
Stroup, C. B., Elizabethville, Dauphin Co., Pa.
Stroup, J. C., Elizabethville, Dauphin Co., Pa.
Tschopp, H. M., Gratz, Dauphin Co., Pa.
Tressler, Adam, Urban, Northumberland Co., Pa.
Uhler, William F., Elizabethville, Dauphin Co., Pa.
Walborn, A. A., Carlisle, Cumberland Co., Pa.
Weaver, Milton, Curtin, Dauphin Co., Pa.
Weaver, George L., Berrysburg, Dauphin Co., Pa.
Parfet, W. W., Elizabethville, Dauphin Co., Pa.
Williard, M. L., Uniontown, Dauphin Co., Pa.
Williard, N. G., Herndon, Northumberland Co., Pa.
Witmer, D. H., Hickory Corners, Northumberland Co., Pa.
Workman, I. G., Halifax, Dauphin Co., Pa.
Young, Arthur L., Lykens, Dauphin Co., Pa.
Yeager, William B., Berrysburg, Dauphin Co., Pa.
Yeager, William E., Berrysburg, Dauphin Co., Pa.

Zerfing, Eugene B., Herndon, Northumberland Co., Pa.

Zimmerman, Charles S., Curtin, Dauphin Co., Pa.

Zimmerman, Otto D., Curtin, Dauphin Co., Pa.

Zimmerman, H. I., Enders, Dauphin Co., Pa.

Ladies, 45 ; gentlemen, 94. Total, 139.

*Deceased.

WHAT THE GRADUATES ARE DOING (1916).

THE CLASS OF 1879.

- Dr. C. A. Bowman, Dean of Albright College, Myerstown, Pa.
H. G. Dornheim, Teacher, Philadelphia, Pa.
J. H. Eisenhower, Harrisburg, Ill., Bookkeeper in Coal and Lumber
Yard.
A. S. Johns, Attorney, Lancaster, Pa.
M. D. Lehr, Physician, Lykens, Pa.
D. G. Lubold, Employed in Post Office, Pottsville, Pa.
M. A. Miller, Editor-Postmaster, Elizabethville, Pa.
C. M. Rickert, Physician, Millersburg, Pa.
D. H. Romberger, Manufacturer of Granite Building Blocks, Allentown, Pa.
J. M. Walborn, Physician, Leesport, Pa.
Mrs. J. B. Williams, Everett, Pa.

CLASS OF 1881.

- W. W. Parfet, died Sept. 10, 1887, at Brandywine Summit, Delaware County, Pa., and is buried in St. John's Cemetery, Concord, Pa.
P. W. G. Raker, farmer, and dealer in flour and feed, Elizabethville, Pa.
A. B. Saylor, United Evangelical Minister, Allentown, Pa.
F. P. Stine, Elizabethville, Pa.
W. E. Yeager, Methodist Episcopal Minister, Lebanon, Pa.
E. B. Zerfing, Real Estate, Philadelphia, Pa.

CLASS OF 1882.

- M. E. Buffington, Real Estate, New York City.
S. W. Cooper, Civil Engineer, Lewistown, Pa.
J. H. Miller, Physician, Harrisburg, Pa.

CLASS OF 1882—*Continued*

Mrs. R. C. Robinson, Lancaster, Pa.
S. A. Sours, Physician, Minnesota.
C. B. Stroup, Druggist, Allentown, Pa.
Mrs. E. B. Zerfing, Philadelphia, Pa.
Minnie A. Snyder, Milliner, Berrysburg, Pa.

CLASS OF 1894.

Mrs. C. B. Stroup, Allentown, Pa.
Rev. I. M. Runk, United Brethren Minister, Scottdale, Pa.